

**Senate Commerce and Labor Committee 1**  
**Amendment No. 1 to SB0937**

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**Signature of Sponsor**

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 937\***

**House Bill No. 1219**

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-1304, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

( ) Each board that receives an application for licensure pursuant to subsection (d) shall not collect an application fee from the applicant if the board does not make a determination of eligibility within thirty (30) days of the application for a license being complete.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-1-101(b)(2)(B), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(B) Developing a method to authorize the person to perform professional services regulated by the board in this state by issuing the person a temporary permit for a limited period of time in accordance with § 63-1-142. An initial determination on the temporary permit must be made within thirty (30) days of the application for a license being complete. For purposes of this section, a complete application includes the board's receipt of a completed criminal background check. If the board fails to make the initial determination on the temporary permit within the thirty-day period, then the board must refund the application fee.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.